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SUBJECT: INFORMING HOST GOVERNMENTS OF RHODESIAN DEVELOPMENTS

REF: A) STATE 05005; B) STATE 05006

1. AFTER BRIEF EXCHANGE WITH PRIME MINISTER BEAVOGUI ON ANOTHER SUBJECT (SEPTEL) AMBASSADOR OFFERED TO BRIEF PRIME MINISTER ON U.S. VIEW OF RHODESIAN TALKS. BEAVOGUI SAID HE WAS KEENLY INTERESTED BUT UNFORTUNATELY HAD TO LEAVE FOR POLITBUREAU MEETING STARTING THEN. HE ASKED AMBASSADOR TO BRIEF CHEF DE CABINET DIALLO WHO WOULD INFORM HIM AFTER POLITBUREAU SESSION.

2. DRAWING ON REFS A AND B, AMBASSADOR BROUGHT DIALLO UP TO DATE, EMPHASIZING PARTICULARLY THE POINT THAT WE WOULD NOT AND CANNOT SUPPORT THE CURRENT INTERNAL SETTLEMENT TALKS UNDERWAY IN SALISBURY, DIALLO EXPRESSED PARTICULAR SATISFACTION AT THE BRIEFING AND CLARIFICATION OF U.S. POSITION, WHICH HE SAID THE GOG HAD BEGUN TO VIEW WITH SOME UNCERTAINTY AND CONCERN. HE SAID HE WAS GREATLY REASSURED AND PROMISED TO MAKE DETAILED NOTES AND INFORM THE PRIME MINISTER. DIALLO URGED IMPORTANCE GF OPEN COMMUNICATIONS AND BRIEFINGS LIKE THIS TO AVOID POSSIBLE MISUNDERSTANDINGS. CONFIDENTIAL

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AMBASSADOR AGREED AND SAID HE HOPED GOG WOULD NOT HESITATE TO CALL US ANY TIME THEY HAD QUESTIONS OR UNCERTAINTIES ABOUT U.S. POLICY.
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